

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: William Cohn  
Application No.: 09/307,195  
Filed: May 7, 1999  
For: Surgical Retractor

Group: 3732  
Examiner: J. Smith



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Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for filing in the above-identified application.

☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity Statement previously submitted.

☐ A Small Entity Statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

(COL. 1)		(COL. 2)		(COL. 3)	SMALL ENTITY		OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDIT. FEE		RATE	ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL	50	MINUS	*50	0	X \$9	\$	X	\$18	\$
INDEP	5	MINUS	**5	0	X \$42	\$	X	\$84	\$
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM					+ \$135	\$	+	\$270	\$
					TOTAL =	\$ 0	TOTAL =	\$	0

\* not fewer than 20  
\*\* not fewer than 3

Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-1935 for the following fees:

☐ Petition for ☐ month Extension of Time \$ \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Amendment Fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Other Fees: \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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TOTAL: \$ 0

A check is enclosed in payment of the following fees:

☒ Petition for three month Extension of Time \$ 920.00

☐ Amendment Fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_

☒ Other Fees:

Request for Continued Examination \$ 740.00

Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement \$ 180.00

TOTAL: \$ 1,840.00

☒ A general authorization is hereby granted to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1935 for any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 in order to maintain pendency of this application. A copy of this authorization is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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